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SUBJECT: CHIEF OF FEDERAL POLICE RESIGNS

1. INTERIOR MINISTER LLAMBI ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY (APRIL 10) THAT FEDERAL POLICE CHIEF MIGUEL INIGUEZ' RESIGNATION HAD BEEN ACCEPTED. LLAMBI AT THE SAME TIME DENIED REPORTS THAT LUIS MARGARIDE, ONE OF THE TWO TOP COMMISSIONERS OF THE FEDERAL POLICE, HAD RESIGNED. INIGUEZ WILL BE TEMPORARILY REPLACED BY ASST CHIEF OF POLICE ALBERTO VILLAR.

2. INIGUEZ' RESIGNATION IS NO SURPRISE. LLAMBI INDICATED "REASONS OF HEALTH" IN ANNOUNCING IT, BUT THERE HAVE BEEN RUMORS FOR SOME TIME THAT PERON WAS UNHAPPY WITH INIGUEZ' PERFORMANCE. THE LATTER HAD NOT, SOME SAID, MADE SUFFICIENT PROGRESS IN CONTROLLING THE TERRORIST PROBLEM. WITH PERON NOW TALKING OF AN ALL-OUT CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE TERRORISTS, INIGUEZ' RESIGNATION WAS PREDICTABLE. IT WILL BE MOST INTERESTING TO SEE WHO REPLACES HIM ON A PERMANENT BASIS.
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